

2002 Census of Agriculture House District Profile

District 104, Michigan

Number of farms: 664

Land in farms: 86,372 acres

Average size of farm: 130 acres

Irrigated Land: 3,939 acres

Total number of Farm Operators: 1,037

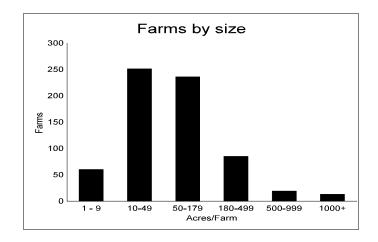
Market Value of Production: \$17,002,000

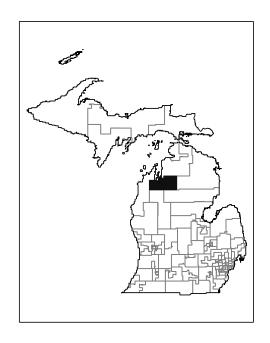
Market Value of Production, average per farm: \$25,605

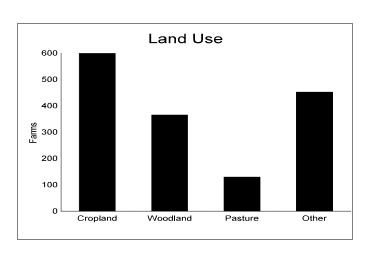
Government Payments: \$693,000

Government Payments, average per farm receiving payments: \$6,188

Gross Income from Farm Related Sources 1: \$1,048,000







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Ranked items among the 110 house districts in the state, 2002

| Item | Quantity | State rank | Universe ² |
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| MARKET VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS SOLD (\$1,000) | | | |
| Total value of agricultural products sold | 17,002 | 50 | 101 |
| VALUE OF SALES BY COMMODITY GROUP (\$1,000) ³ | | | |
| Grains, oilseeds, dry beans, and dry peas | 1,383 | 50 | 83 |
| Tobacco Cotton and cottonseed | - | - | - |
| Vegetables, melons, potatoes and sweet potatoes | 4,389 | 24 | 78 |
| Fruits, tree nuts, and berries | 4,389 (D) | 12 | 73 |
| Nursery, greenhouse, floriculture and sod | (D) | 67 | 93 |
| Cut Christmas trees and other short rotation woody crops | 1,140 | 7 | 67 |
| Poultry and eggs | (D) | 42 | 71 |
| Cattle and calves | 2,028 | 37 | 74 |
| Millk and other dairy products from cows | (D) | 48 | 64 |
| Hogs and pigs | 488 | 31 | 69 |
| Sheep, goats, and their products | 13 | 49 | 69 |
| Horses, ponies, mules, burros and donkeys | 138 | 46 | 77 |
| Aquaculture | (D) | 32 | 32 |
| TOP LIVESTOCK INVENTORY ITEMS (number) | | | |
| Cattle and calves | 5,631 | 41 | 76 |
| Hogs and pigs | (D) | 26 | 68 |
| Colonies of bees | 3,462 | 7 | 70 |
| Deer | (D) | 3 | 52 |
| Layers 20 weeks old and older | 1,311 | 36 | 72 |
| TOP CROP ITEMS (acres) | | | |
| Forage - land used for all hay and haylage, grass silage, and green chop | 14,623 | 27 | 87 |
| Corn for grain | 5,751 | 49 | 74 |
| Tart cherries | 4,051 | 3 | 51 |
| Cut Christmas trees | 2,632 | 8 | 71 |
| Sweet cherries | 1,999 | 2 | 56 |

Other House District Highlights

| Economic Characteristics | Quantity |
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| Farms by value of sales | |
| Less than \$1,000 | 238 |
| \$1,000 to \$2,499 | 88 |
| \$2,500 to \$4,999 | 57 |
| \$5,000 to \$9,999 | 85 |
| \$10,000 to \$19,999 | 57 |
| \$20,000 to \$24,000 | 19 |
| \$25,000 to \$39,999 | 43 |
| \$40,000 to \$49,000 | 14 |
| \$50,000 to \$99,999 | 30 |
| \$100,000 to \$249,999 | 21 |
| \$250,000 to \$499,999 | 6 |
| \$500,000 or more | 6 |
| Total farm production expenses (\$1,000) | 21,053 |
| Average per farm (\$) | 32,290 |
| Net cash farm income of operation (\$1,000) | -3,015 |
| Average per farm (\$) | -4,624 |

| Operator characteristics | Quantity | |
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| Prinicpal operators by primary occupation: | | |
| Farming | 344 | |
| Other | 320 | |
| Principal operators by sex: | | |
| Male | 571 | |
| Female | 93 | |
| Average age of principal operator (years) | 56 | |
| All operators 4 by race | | |
| White | 1,014 | |
| Black or African American | | |
| American Indian or Alaskan Native | 3 | |
| Native Hawaiian or Other Pacific Islander | | |
| Asian | 2 | |
| More than one race | 1 | |
| All operators ⁴ of Spanish, Hispanic or Latino Origin | 10 | |

(D) Cannot be disclosed.

¹Customwork, farm rent, forest products, recreational services, cooperative dividends, animal boarding, tax refunds, etc.

² Universe is number of house districts in state with item.

³ Categories are not comprehensive and will not sum to total.

⁴ Data were collected for a maximum of three operators per farm.